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Docket No. 356972011700

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In the patent of:

Kazufumi OGAWA et al.

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METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
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**REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.324**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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Applicants respectfully request that the inventorship of the above-captioned patent be corrected to add Norihisa Mino. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intention on the part of the named inventors.

In support of this request, the consent of the Assignee, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., and statements that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent are enclosed for Kazufumi Ogawa, Mamoru Soga and Norihisa Mino. The required fee is authorized to be charged to Deposit Account 03-1952.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to correct the inventorship and to issue a Certificate of Correction.

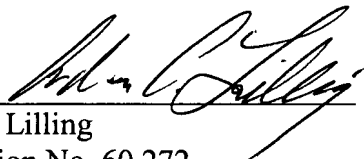
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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE FOR REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. ("Matsushita") is the assignee of this patent application, as recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 005989, Frame 0960, by virtue of the Assignment of Assignors Interest recorded on January 23, 1992. The extent of Matsushita's ownership interest is represented by the attached Patent Assignment Abstract of Title, wherein two inventors (Kazufumi Ogawa and Mamoru Soga) have assigned their rights in the invention to Matsushita. Matsushita is fully aware of the Request to Correct Inventorship to

add Norihisa Mino as a co-inventor. The error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent. Accordingly, Matsushita consents to the change in inventorship.

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.

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Date:

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**STATEMENT BY KAZUFUMI OGAWA IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR  
CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.324(b)(2)**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I, Kazufumi Ogawa, declare as follows:

1) I reside at c/o Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., 1006, Oaza Kadoma  
Kadoma-shi, Osaka 571-8501 Japan;

2) I am named as an inventor of an invention claimed in the above-referenced patent;  
and

3) Norihisa Mino's name was mistakenly omitted from the inventorship as originally  
filed, and this error in inventorship occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and  
that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and that these  
statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are

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punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 USC 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent.

Kazufumi Ogawa

Signature: Kazufumi Ogawa

Date: nov. 14, 2007



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**STATEMENT BY MAMORU SOGA IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR CORRECTION  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I, Mamoru Soga, declare as follows:

1) I reside at c/o Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., 1006, Oaza Kadoma  
Kadoma-shi, Osaka 571-8501 Japan;

2) I am named as an inventor of an invention claimed in the above-referenced patent;  
and

3) Norihisa Mino's name was mistakenly omitted from the inventorship as originally  
filed, and this error in inventorship occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and  
that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and that these  
statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are

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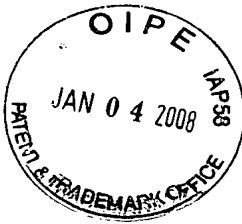
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I, Norihisa Mino, declare as follows:

- 1) My mailing address is c/o Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., 1006, Oaza Kadoma, Kadoma-shi, Osaka 571-8501 Japan;
- 2) I am an inventor of an invention claimed in the above-referenced patent; and
- 3) my name was mistakenly omitted from the inventorship as originally filed, and this error in inventorship occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are

punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 USC 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent.

Norihisa Mino

Signature:

Norihisa Mino

Date:

November 15, 2007